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FM AMEMBASSY BONN

TO SECSTATE WASHDC IMMEDIATE 7084

INFO AMEMBASSY NAIROBI

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TAGS: CASC, PFOR, UG (DORSET, ROBERT E.)

SUBJECT: POSSIBLE DETENTION OF US CITIZENS IN UGANDA

AND W/W ROBERT E. DORSET

REFS: (A) NAIROBI 10568; (B) STATE 277814; (C) STATE
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1. EMBASSY BONN CONTACTED FRG FONOFF DECEMBER 19, 1974
AS INSTRUCTED PER REFTEL (B) REQUESTING THAT FRG
EMBASSY KAMPALA INVESTIGATE CIRCUMSTANCES REPORTED
REFTEL (A), SEEK ACCESS IF NECESSARY, AND PROVIDE ALL
POSSIBLE ASSISTANCE TO ANY AMERICANS /WHO MAY BE HELD IN
UGANDA. FRG FONOFF SUBSEQUENTLY CABLED EMBASSY KAMPALA
RELAYING OUR REQUEST. TO DATE NO REPORT RECEIVED FROM
EMBASSY KAMPALA.

2. FOLLOWING EMBASSY BONN RECEIPT REFTEL (C),
ADDITIONAL INQUIRIES WERE MADE AT FRG FONOFF ON
DECEMBER 31, 1974 AND JANUARY 2 EXPRESSING THE CON-
TINUING CONCERN OF US AUTHORITIES RE THE ALLEGATIONS
IN REFTEL (A), AND THE IMPORTANCE WE ATTACH TO A
PROMPT REPLY FROM FRG EMBASSY KAMPALA. WE WERE
ASSURED THAT OUR REQUEST OF DECEMBER 19 HAD BEEN
PROMPTLY FORWARDED TO EMBASSY KAMPALA, AND THAT THE
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FONOFF WOULD PURSUE OUR REQUEST AND NOTIFY US OF

THE RESULTS ASAP.

3. WITH EMBASSY BONN RECEIPT OF REFTEL (D), FURTHER
INQUIRIES WERE MADE AT FRG FONOFF IN A.M. OF
JANUARY 3 UNDERSCORING URGENCY OF OUR CONCERNS RE
ROBERT E. DORSET AND REQUESTING THAT EMBASSY KAMPALA
EXPEDITE ITS INVESTIGATION OF MATTERS DISCUSSED IN
REFTELS. WE ARE ASSURED THAT FONOFF CABLE TO THIS
EFFECT GOING OUT AFTERNOON OF JANUARY 3.

4. WILL REPORT SOONEST ANY INFORMATION REQUESTED
REFTELS.
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